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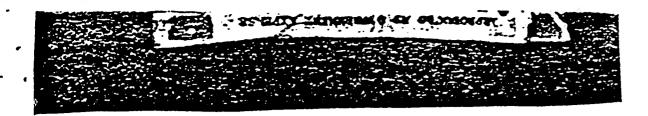
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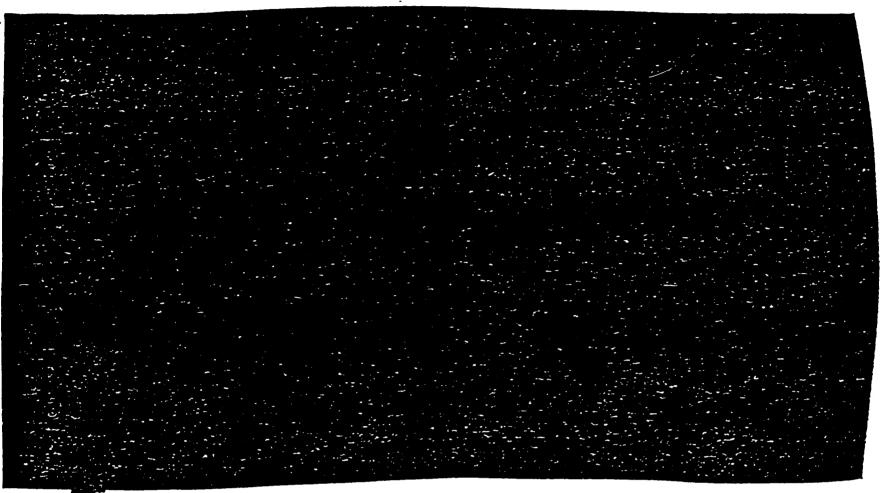
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## CTT 168 BACKGROUND (U)



In 1976, the Coerations Department of COMNAVINTCOM (NIC-03) was merged with CTF 168 headquarters. Along with this merger came the Navy-wide intelligence collection management responsibilities to include foreign cooperative programs with our allies. As a result, CTF 168 now operates the NAVINTCOM Collection Advisory Center (NAVINTCOMCAC) located at the Navy Operational Intelligence Center (NAVOPINTCEN).

Since 1969, TF 168 developed from a single mission (fleet support) activity with a headquarters and three field elements to a multi-mission (fleet support, HUMINT and collection management) task force with a headquarters and personnel at 15 locations throughout the world. Total budget for FY 84 was approximately \$11 million. Total personnel assigned or under the control of CTF 168 number 216. Additionally, CTF 168 is the gaining command for four Naval Reserve units (NICTSKGRP 0166, Washington, D.C.; NICOPSMGT 0310, Austin - Texas; NICOPSMGT 0109, Knoxville, Tennessee; and, NICOPSMGT 0209, Louisville, Kentucky).

(U) On 9 August 1934, the Secretary of the Navy approved the establishment of the Naval Intelligence Operations Group CTF 168 as a third echelon command under the Commander, Naval Intelligence Command.



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## COMMINDERS OF TASK FORCE 168\*

1.	CAPT Wallace L. RESSELL, USN	18	NOV	1969	-	09	APR	1972	
2.	CDR Robert J. SETTERT, USN	<sup>-</sup> 10	APR	1972	-	05	ОСТ	1972	
3.	CAPT Anthony D. SEESOW, USN	06	OCT	1972	-	30	JUN	1973	
4.	CDR Joey W. HEGEMEN, USN	01	JUL	1973	-	26	JUN	1975	
5.	CAPT Robert W. SCHMITT, USN	27	JUN	1975	-	22	JUN	1976	
6.	CAPT Perry D. HOSEINS, USN**	23	JUN	1976	-	18	MAY	1979	
7.	CAPT Donn T. BURRITMS, USN**	19	MAY	1979	-	05	SEP	1981	
8.	CAPT Thomas E. CUERY, USN**	06	SEP	1981	-	30	DEC	1982	
9.	CAPT Sinclair S. MARTEL, USN**	31	DEC	1982	-	16	JUL	1984	
10.	CDR Ernie L. RASMUSSEN, USN** (First Commanding Officer							1984 1984)	
11.	CAPT William W. WEST, USN**	05	OCT	1985	-	Present			

<sup>\* -</sup> Task force numerical designator "168" assigned by CNO on 2 June 1969

<sup>\*\* -</sup> Also Assistant Commander for Operations (NIC-03)